

CLAIMS:

1. A cabinet adapted to organize electrical cables comprising:
  - a base (2) for supporting said cabinet on a substantially planar surface;
  - a rear panel (1);
  - a top panel (5);
  - oppositely arranged side panels (4, 12); and
  - a front panel (3);said rear, top, front and side panels arranged to enclose an interior portion of said cabinet; and

power supply means (7) located in said interior portion; characterized in that:

said front panel includes a door (8, 13) which opens to allow access to said interior portion of said cabinet;

each of said top and side panels comprises a planar surface including one or a plurality of openings (6) through which electrical cables may pass; and

said power supply means is adapted such that only one power cable (9) need pass therefrom to the exterior of the cabinet to be plugged into a live power receptacle.

2. A cabinet according to claim 1, characterized in that said door comprises at least one panel (8, 13) hinged on one side.

3. A cabinet according to claim 1, characterized in that said door comprises at least one panel (8, 13) adapted to slide parallel to said front panel when placed in an open or closed position.
4. A cabinet according to any one of claims 1 to 3, characterized in that said plurality of openings (6) further comprise closure means (15, 16) to selectively open and close each of said plurality of openings.
5. A cabinet according to any one of claims 1 to 4, characterized in that each of said openings is each circular, square, oval, slotted, or rectangular in shape.
6. A cabinet according to any one of claims 1 to 5, characterized in that said power supply means (7) comprises at least two ports adapted to receive male end plugs of an electrical power cable.
7. A cabinet according to any one of claims 1 to 6, characterized in that said cabinet is constructed of materials similar to materials used to construct an article of furniture already present in an intended usage environment.
8. A cabinet according to claim 7, characterized in that said materials are one or more of metal, wood, imitation wood, laminate and plastic.
9. A cabinet according to any one of claims 1 to 8, characterized in that said cables are associated with a computer system or a home entertainment system.

10. A desk (11) comprising a cabinet adapted to organize electrical cables comprising:

a base (2) for supporting said cabinet on a substantially planar surface;

a rear panel (1);

a top panel (5);

oppositely arranged side panels (4, 12);

a front panel (3);

said rear, top, front and side panels arranged to enclose an interior portion of said cabinet; and

power supply means (7); characterized in that:

said front panel includes an opening allowing access to said interior portion of said cabinet, said opening comprising a door (8, 13) adapted to close said opening;

each of said top and side panels comprise a planar surface including a plurality of openings (6) through which electrical cables may pass; and

said power supply means is adapted such that only one power cable (9) need pass to the exterior of the cabinet to be plugged into a live power receptacle.

11. A desk according to claim 10, characterized in that said door comprises at least one panel (8, 13) hinged on one side.

12. A desk according to claim 10, characterized in that said door comprises at least one panel (8, 13) adapted to slide parallel to said front panel when placed in an open or closed position.

13. A desk according to any one of claims 10 to 12, characterized in that said plurality of openings (6) further comprise closure means (15, 16) to selectively open and close each of said plurality of openings.

14. A desk according to any one of claims 10 to 13, characterized in that said plurality of openings are each circular in shape.

15. A desk according to any one of claims 10 to 14, characterized in that said power supply means (7) comprises at least two ports adapted to receive male end plugs of an electrical power cable.